

Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission
Commission Meeting
January 19, 2023

The Commission Meeting for the Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission was held on Thursday, January 19, 2023, at the Sloppy Floyd Government Office Building. 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive; Suite 802- West Tower, Atlanta, GA 30334.

The following Commissioners were present:	Others Present:
Seth Millican- Chairman Jerry Orlans Dr. Jeff Traub, MD	Matt Woodruff- Executive Director Attorney General's Office [Bryon Thernes] Nate Mann David Oblas
	Megan Swartzlander Robert Tapia Ahmed Sheikh

Chairman Seth Millican established that a quorum was present and the Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission meeting that was scheduled to begin at 1:30pm and was called to order at 1:37pm.

Motion to Approve the Commission meeting minutes from 12/15/22. Commissioner Jeff Traub makes a motion to approve. Chairman Millican seconds and the Commission votes 2-0 to approve. Commissioner Jerry Orlans abstained from voting.

Motion to Approve Christy Martin Promotions, Inc. promoter license. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 2/25/23 Christy Martin Promotions, Inc. event permit. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 3/10/23 NFC Fighting event permit. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 3/11/23 NFC Fighting event permit. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve R&C Promotions promoter license. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 3/18/23 R&C Promotions event permit. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

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Motion to Approve the 3/23/23 Southpaw Promotions event permit change of date. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve Yusef Shabazz promoter license. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 4/1/23 Yusef Shabazz event permit. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve K2S Combat LLC promoter license. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the 4/15/23 K2S Combat LLC event permit. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve to release the Memorandum of Authority for Rule 85-1-.04 (6). Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the rule change to Rule 85-1-.08 Weight Spread. Following the Commission and public discussion, Chairman Millican makes a motion do pass. Commissioner Traub seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the rule change to Appendix 85-1B Weigh In Consideration. Following the Commission and public discussion, Chairman Millican makes a motion do pass. Commissioner Traub seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve to release the Memorandum of Authority for Rule 85-1-.08 and Appendix 85-1 B. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the license application for Adolph Brown. Mr. Brown is a 44-year-old applying for a professional boxing license. His pro record is 5-0-1. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the license application for Chris Gray. Mr. Gray is a 46-year-old applying for a professional boxing license. His pro record is 13-23-1. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to approve. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to approve.

Motion to Approve the license application for Henry Lundy. Mr. Lundy is a 39-year-old applying for a professional boxing license. His pro record is 31-12-1.

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Commissioner Traub makes a motion to table to February, pending the resolution in California. Commissioner Orlans seconds, and the application is tabled.

Motion to Approve the license application for Billy Cunningham. Mr. Cunningham is a 39-year-old applying for a professional boxing license. His pro record is 11-44-1.

Petition for Rule Waiver by Conflict MMA Promotions on Rule 85-3-.15. Allowing Pro Muay Thai/Kickboxing bouts to take place with 4oz. MMA gloves. Commissioner Traub makes a motion to deny based on the waiver not being applied to an event. Chairman Millican seconds, and the Commission votes 3-0 to table.

Public Comment:

- David Oblas: ask for the Commission to consider adding the option for Muay Thai/Kickboxers to compete in MMA gloves. Chairman Millican ask staff to draft a proposed rule allowing this in amateur and pro Muay Thai/Kickboxing rules.
- Robert Tapia/ Ahmed Sheikh: present the idea of Team Combat League to the Commission. Chairman Millican ask to work with the staff on next steps such as license, rule waivers, etc. and come back at a later meeting.

Attorney General's Report:

- No report given

Executive Director's Report:

- No report given

Commission Report:

- No report given

Motion to adjourn. There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 2:21pm.